

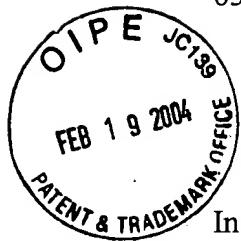
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PATENT APPLICATION



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MICHIKO YANAGI ET AL.) : Examiner: R. Shafer
Application No.: 09/742,415) : Group Art Unit: 2872
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RESPONSE AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Sir:

A. Introductory Comments

In response to the final Office Action dated November 19, 2003 in the above-captioned application, kindly consider the following remarks.